

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2159  
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ROAD SIGNALS  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the various road signals are not working in the metro cities;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government in this regard;
- (c) whether the Government has conducted any study to improve road signals for smooth running of traffic and check the loss of petrol/diesel due to traffic jam;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken to ensure proper working of road signals in future?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

- (a) & (b): The management of traffic signals at various towns/cities in the States/UTs, including the metro cities, is the responsibility of the State Governments/UT Administrations.
- (c): The Union Ministry of Home Affairs is not aware of any such study on improvement of road signals for smooth running of traffic or for checking the loss of petrol/diesel due to traffic jam.
- (d) & (e): Does not arise in view of reply to (a) & (b) above.